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**Democratic Senators
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(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)

WASHINGTON, May 1.—(Special to The Advertiser)—The decision of President Wilson to put sugar on the free list at the expiration of three years was sustained by the house, in committee of the whole, here today by a vote of 186 to 88.

The Mann amendment, which proposed to strike the free sugar clause from the Underwood Bill, went down to defeat.

The lumber schedule was formally approved before the sugar debate started.

Restarick Letter Read.

Placing sugar on the free list would result in the turning of the Hawaiian Islands over to the Japanese, according to a letter Senator Works of California read in the senate today from the Bishop of Honolulu. The Bishop said:

"It would drive nine-tenths of the white population, other than the troops, from the Islands and leave it in the hands of the Japanese who might be able to exist on the reduced profits from sugar."

KUHIO PLEADS FOR THE ISLAND INDUSTRY

WASHINGTON, May 2.—(Associated Press Cable)—Delegate Kalamianalea, in a strong speech on the floor of the house, in committee of the whole yesterday, urged the representatives not to enact the free sugar clause of the Underwood Bill and destroy the sugar industry of Hawaii. The Hawaiian delegate declared that the effect of such a law would be to ruin the Islands commercially and to destroy the value of the Territory politically and as a military and naval base for the protection of the Pacific slope.

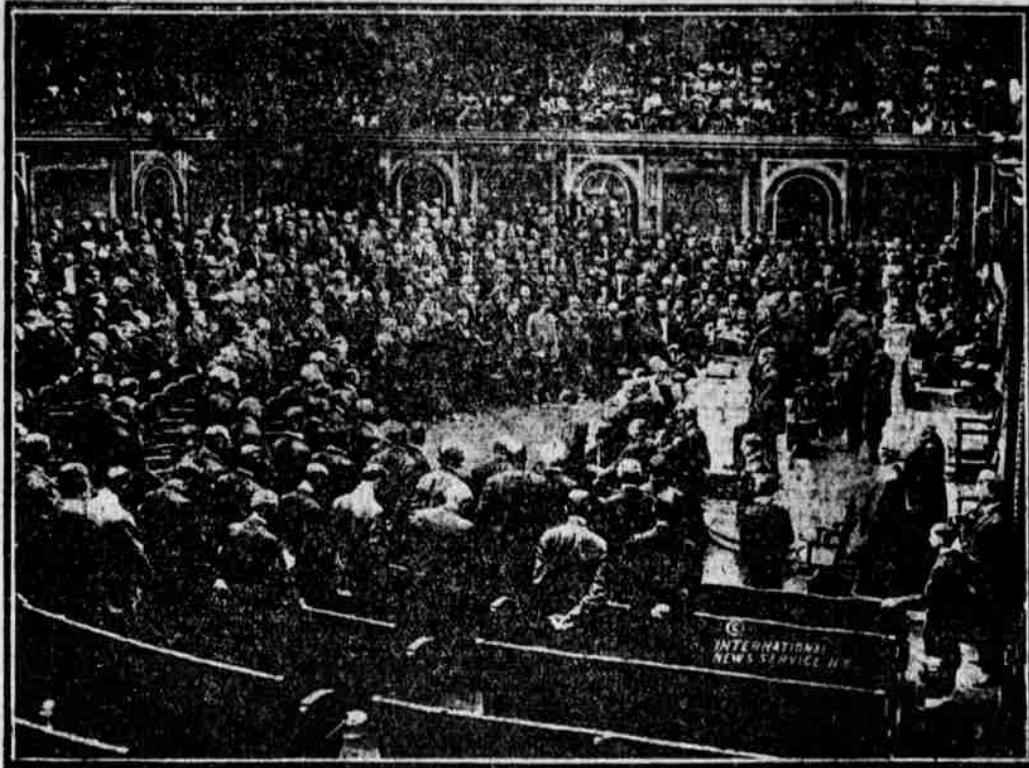
If free sugar becomes the law, he declared, American labor will be driven from Hawaii and the Islands will be turned over to Asiatics, the only ones who could make an agricultural living from the land.

SENATORS PUT CASE BEFORE THE PRESIDENT

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)

WASHINGTON, May 1.—(Special to The Advertiser)—Democratic senators from Pacific and Intermountain States, opposed to free wool and sugar, conferred with President Wilson for three hours here today. They predicted disaster if the free clauses pass.

It is expected the President will stand pat for free sugar and wool, but it was said that the conference had established a more friendly feeling.



House of Representatives in Committee of the Whole.

Powers Demand That War Cease Porte Told to Pick Peace Envoys

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CONSTANTINOPLE, May 1.—(Special to The Advertiser)—A joint note from the Powers demanding an immediate cessation of hostilities in the Balkans was delivered to the Porte today. It also asked the Sultan to name peace envoys at once and to announce his choice of a city to carry on peace negotiations.

Diplomats here believe the Porte means a speedy solution of the Balkan problem also.

MAJOR BUTTS AND WIFE INJURED WHEN AUTO OVERTURNS ON ROAD FROM LEILEHUA

Maj. Edmund L. Butts of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, U. S. A., stationed at Schofield Barracks, and Mrs. Butts were painfully injured last evening when an automobile in which they were riding turned over.

There were three others in the auto, besides the Filipino driver, and all were badly shaken up.

Major Butts was taken to the Post hospital and his wounds dressed, afterwards being conveyed to his residence. Mrs. Butts had one arm badly sprained.

NO SPECIAL HEARING FOR ISLAND MEN

Shafroth Cables That His Committee Will Take Up Only the Briefs.

Hawaii is to get no special hearing before the senate finance committee on the Underwood-Wilson Bill, although the committee will consider whatever arguments the friends of the sugar industry may submit on briefs. This was the news contained in a cable from Senator Shafroth yesterday, in reply to a cabled request that the representatives of Hawaii be given an opportunity to plead the cause of the Islands before the committee reported on the tariff bill.

The cabled request, signed by E. Faxon Bishop, president chamber of commerce; Oliver C. Swain, president merchants' association; Walter F. Frear, Governor; Eric A. Knudsen, president senate; H. L. Holstein, speaker house of representatives; Robert W. Shingle, Republican chairman; M. C. Fackee, Democratic chairman; and A. L. C. Atkinson, Progressive chairman, said:

"Will you secure fair consideration Hawaii's claims regarding sugar tariff? Our friends Washington desire opportunity present facts."

To this the Colorado senator replied: "Committee will not grant hearings, but invites filing of briefs and arguments."

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BATTLES WILL BE IN THE COURTS

President Will Be On Side of Japan This Time.

California Senate Takes Favorable Action on Webb Bill.

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)

WASHINGTON, May 1.—(Special to The Advertiser)—The Anti-Asian Land Bill, submitted by Attorney General Webb of California and adopted by the senate of the State as an amendment to the Birdsell Bill, is still discriminatory and violates the terms of the treaty between the United States and Japan, in the opinion of President Wilson and his advisers.

It is understood that as soon as the bill is passed, Viscount Chinda, the Japanese ambassador, will file a formal protest with the state department.

It is expected that President Wilson will suggest to be representative of Japan that the quickest way to secure results is to bring action in the federal courts to test the constitutionality of the bill.

All negotiations so far between Ambassador Chinda and government officials have been of the friendliest character.

President Wilson believes Japan will fight her battles in the courts, and not otherwise.

PRESIDENT WIRES A DIRECT WARNING

SACRAMENTO, May 1.—(Special to The Advertiser)—The following telegram was exchanged today between President Wilson and Governor Johnson:

"Governor Hiram Johnson, Sacramento:—I take the liberty of calling your attention to the Webb Bill, which would involve an appeal to the courts on the question of treaty rights and bring on what might be long and delicate litigation.—Woodrow Wilson."

Thanks, Very Much.

"To the President, Washington.—I thank you very much for your suggestion. The fault may be due to the fact that we have endeavored to preserve affirmatively upon the face of our bill the existing treaty. I have referred the matter at once to our attorney general and I would be extremely grateful for any suggestions that would avoid the occasion you mention.—Hiram W. Johnson."

BRYAN VISITS THE JAPANESE COLONIES

SACRAMENTO, May 1.—(Special to The Advertiser)—Bryan returned from his trip to San Francisco early this morning. Before the legislature met, Bryan was taken in the Governor's auto to see the Japanese colonies at Florin and Walnut Grove, a few miles out of Sacramento, where practically every white man has been driven out of the rice agricultural district by the influx of the Little Brown Men.

ASSEMBLY BILL TO ALLOW SHORT LEASES

SACRAMENTO, May 2.—(By Associated Press Cable)—Assemblyman Bloodgood, of Los Angeles, last night introduced as an assembly measure an Anti-Asian Land Bill, similar in language to the Webb Bill adopted yesterday by the senate as a substitute for the Birdsell Bill, with the exception that the Bloodgood Bill would permit aliens ineligible to become citizens to lease lands for a period not to exceed three years.

ALASKAN GOVERNOR VEToes AN "ANTI" BILL

JUNEAU, Alaska, May 2.—(By Associated Press Cable)—Governor Clark does not intend to allow Alaska to add to the worries of the Washington administration in the pending Japanese question, if his veto of anti-Japanese legislation by the Alaska legislature is effective. Yesterday the first of several anti-Japanese measures before the Alaska legislature reached his desk. This was a bill to prohibit those ineligible to citizenship from securing licenses to fish in Alaskan waters and he promptly vetoed it. A warm fight is an effort to override the veto is expected today.

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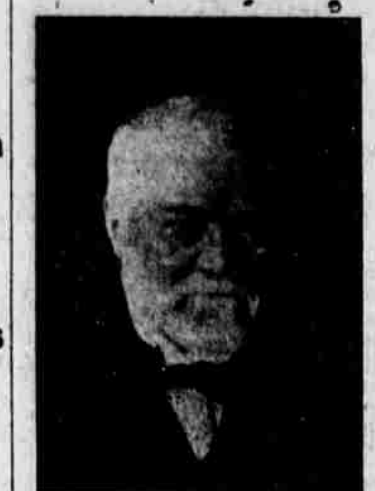
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Army Life One of Ease and Tranquility



ANDREW CARNEGIE.
Laird of Skibo Waxes Satirical Towards Men of Mars in Peace Address.

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)

ST. LOUIS, Missouri, May 1.—(Special to The Advertiser)—The peace congress was formally opened here today with an address on the "Baselessness of the Fear of War" by Andrew Carnegie. The address was punctuated with satirical comment upon the life of ease and tranquility enjoyed by the United States Army and Navy and ridicule for those sponsors of militarism who see danger of war in every international controversy.

EIGHT POLICEMEN NOW FACE CHARGES

Commission Is Carrying on an Investigation Parallel With the Grand Jury.

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—(Special to The Advertiser)—Charges against eight accused policemen were filed today before the police commission as the latest move in the investigation into the bunco scandal. The charges are carefully itemized, containing in most cases about ten separate counts. This action was pursuant to the announcement made early this week by Police Commissioner Theodore Richee that the commission was carrying on a separate investigation parallel to that of the grand jury.

The eight accused men, who are now in the double danger of losing their stars and facing trial under indictment, are Former Detective Frank Esola, Detective-Sergeant Arthur McPherson, Detective-Sergeant James MacGowan, Patrolman Charles Joseph and former Detective W. H. McHugh, Jack Sullivan, Louis Drolette and Chas. Taylor. The hearing was set for next Thursday morning.

PROFESSOR JAGGAR WILL TALK ABOUT KILAUEA

How it feels to live, day and night in constant communion with one of the most active volcanoes in the world, the moods and antics of a seething caldron kept active by a gigantic force of nature which man can scarcely understand, will be the theme of an address to be given tonight by Professor Thomas A. Jaggar, the scientist who for months past has been stationed at Kilauea, carefully studying every phase of the great blazing pit in that crater.

Though thousands have visited the Volcano it is safe to say that not many learned even a few of the many interesting facts which Professor Jaggar will tell tonight.

The lecture will be given in the Boy Scouts headquarters hall, at the rear of Kawaiahao Church, beginning promptly at eight o'clock. It will be illustrated by interesting slides showing views of Madame Pele in her most violent tempers. Robert K. Bosine, the well known photographer, whose moving picture views of the Volcano have attracted world-wide attention, has been asked to direct the displaying of the slides.

Col. James A. Wilder and his Boy Scouts will be out in force. As the proceeds from the lecture are to be given to the Boy Scouts to aid in purchasing a stereopticon outfit, it is expected there will be a large attendance.

TRIPLE MURDER PROMPTED BY ROBBERY

Fiendish Murderers Make Shambles of Happy Chinese Home.

Father, Mother and Unborn Babe Victims of Sanguinary Crime.

Three lives, two in the flush of self-endeavor and success and the third yet to see the light of day, were torn from the bodies of Lim Ah Kim, his wife, Lum See, and their unborn babe at eleven o'clock Wednesday night in their store at Kahanuiki in the Fort Shafter reservation in one of the most brutal murders recorded in local police annals. Alleged murderers jailed.

Under special guard in the city jail, separated from the world as completely as if he were on another planet, is Domingo, a Filipino, who is bound as if by iron fetters to the crime by a chain of circumstantial evidence such as has seldom rewarded detective effort. In another cell, also under special guard, is a second Filipino whose name the police will not even divulge. He, too, is bound by that same chain, almost convicted by as damning evidence as ever confronted criminal.

Fourteen hours of continual work, during which he had no food and took no rest, earned for Chief of Detectives Arthur McDuffie yesterday the distinction of having practically solved the baffling mystery that was uncovered early yesterday morning by an inquisitive vegetable peddler.

The crime was committed, it is now certain, at a late hour Wednesday night. The bodies of the victims, in different rooms, were found withering in their blood yesterday morning.

Robbery the Motive.

The reason for the triple murder was too apparent. The rifled cash drawer, the twisted handle of a safe and the ransacked rooms showed that to thieves belonged the fearful effort of the crime. It is almost certain that more than one thousand dollars were stolen from the room. In a trunk which they had unsuccessfully tried to carry away were several hundred dollars and many hundreds of dollars' worth of solid gold bracelets, watches and other jewelry, with which Lim Ah Koo was wont to bedeck his pretty young wife.

The murder had been fiendishly committed. Not less than ten dagger wounds were upon the body of the woman. Her head had been broken in by a blow of a heavy instrument and in an inhuman attempt to end the young life she sheltered she had been disemboweled. The husband's head had almost been severed from his body and the knife had been plunged again and again into his flesh.

Evidence Conclusive.

This is the wanton crime that is to be charged to the two men now in the county jail. Kept close within the records of the police evidence that makes their guilt damn them even more than that which has been made public is secreted.

The story of the man-hunt yesterday is a curious one, the only clue, not discovered until some hours after the crime, being a gray sweater with red trimmings. If Domingo is convicted, this gray sweater is what will hang him. Mention of it first appeared in the story of a soldier at Fort Shafter, Chief McDuffie had questioned a score of enlisted men who had been abroad that night in the neighborhood of the post and this man had talked to Domingo, a Filipino with a gray sweater with red trimmings, who said that he was an attendant in the officers' mess.

Philippines Rounded Up.

The police then rounded up every Filipino on the reservation. All except one was found. The one was Domingo. The chief waited at the post all day until he returned. Meanwhile he had searched Domingo's room and found therein a pair of tan shoes and a gray sweater with red trimmings. The lower part of the sweater sleeves were wet. On the back of it were spots of blood.

Domingo was arrested as only a chief of detectives can do it, but his only story was that he had left the post at ten o'clock and had gone to the Elite Building, Hotel street, to meet a friend. There the chief caught him in a false hood. He proved that he had left the reservation at seven o'clock.

However, the search was directed to the Elite. Mr. Montgomery, the proprietor, was called up and asked if he had a Filipino working for him. He stated that he had and volunteered to bring him down. Then the room of the second suspect was searched and a pair of shoes from which blood had not been entirely removed were found. There was also blood on Domingo's shoes.

Then came the last link in the chain of evidence. A woman was discovered in the Elite who knew the Filipino working for Montgomery and thought him "a nice man." But she had also seen a strange Filipino in the bathroom early yesterday morning, while it was still dark, washing the lower part of the sleeves of a gray sweater with red trimmings.

She was shown the sweater and positively identified it.

This is only part of the evidence which the chief has accumulated.